

KAYNE ANDERSON MLP INVESTMENT COMPANY ANNOUNCES ITS NET ASSET VALUE AT JULY 31, 2008

LOS ANGELES, CA – August 1, 2008 – Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company (the “Company”) (NYSE: KYN) today announced its net asset value as of July 31, 2008.

As of close of business July 31, 2008, the Company’s net assets were \$1.1 billion and its net asset value per share was \$24.84, based on 43.9 million shares outstanding.

As of July 31, 2008, the Company’s total assets and long-term investments were \$1.8 billion. Long-term investments were comprised of Midstream MLPs (77%), Upstream MLPs (6%), Propane MLPs (5%), MLP Affiliates (5%), Coal MLPs (4%), Shipping MLPs (1%) and Other (2%).

The Company’s ten largest holdings by issuer at July 31, 2008 were:

	July 31, 2008		
	Units (in thousands)	Amount (\$ Millions)	Percent of Long- Term Investments
1. Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.	3,514	150.3	8.4%
2. Kinder Morgan Management, LLC	2,728	149.8	8.4%
3. Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	5,012	149.1	8.3%
4. Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.	3,112	143.4	8.0%
5. Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.	3,304	119.5	6.7%
6. Copano Energy Partners, L.L.C.	3,587	112.1	6.3%
7. Crosstex Energy, L.P.	2,963	78.9	4.4%
8. Inergy, L.P.	2,854	72.5	4.1%
9. MarkWest Energy Partners, L.P.	2,190	72.4	4.1%
10. Enbridge Energy Partners L.P.	1,433	71.3	4.0%

Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company (“the Company”) is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, whose common stock is traded on the NYSE. The Company’s investment objective is to obtain a high after-tax total return by investing at least 85% of its total assets in energy-related master limited partnerships and their affiliates, and in other companies that, as their principal business, operate assets used in the gathering, transporting, processing, storing, refining, distributing, mining or marketing natural gas, natural gas liquids (including propane), crude oil, refined petroleum products or coal.

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